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Attn: OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 4, 2002, requesting formal drawings for the above identified application, Applicant hereby submits the enclosed drawings, FIGS. 1-14, including corrected FIG. 4, for approval and entry.

Please contact Applicant's attorney at the phone number shown below if there are any questions concerning the enclosed formal drawings.

Respectfully submitted,

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